



## **CITY OF SANTA BARBARA**

### **CHARLES E. MEYER REACTIVATION DESALINATION PROJECT**

### **MEDIA INQUIRIES**

For media inquiries, the City has many resources available on the Desalination Project webpage, accessible at [www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/Desal](http://www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/Desal) including background information, project status, City Council presentation videos, FAQs, and information on subsurface intake & potable reuse feasibility studies.

Additionally, City staff can provide you with DVDs of footage of the desalination plant during construction, water resources and drought B-roll, and interviews with Mayor Helene Schneider and Water Resources Manager Joshua Haggmark.

Any media personnel desiring to visit the Charles E. Meyer Reactivation Desalination Project site(s) must contact a City staff person to schedule an appointment time and date. Site visits will only be arranged on Fridays, preferably between the hours of 12:00 – 1:00 p.m.

All media questions should be directed to the City designated spokesperson:

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